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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the (X) utility, () design, () plant patent application of:

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For:

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Enclosed are:

- (X) 11 page(s) of specification (X) 4 page(s) of claims
- (X) 1 page(s) Abstract
- (X) Unexecuted Declaration/Power of Attorney
- (X) 7 sheet(s) of (X) formal () informal drawings
- () An assignment of the application to_____
- () Preliminary Amendment
- () Information Disclosure Statement
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| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | | |
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| FOR | | | LARGE ENTITY | SMALL ENTITY | AMOUNT |
| Basic Fee Utility | XXXXX | XXXXX | \$770.00 | \$385.00 | \$ |
| Design | XXXXX | XXXXX | \$340.00 | \$170.00 | |
| Plant | XXXXX | XXXXX | \$530.00 | \$265.00 | |
| Total Claims | 24 - 20 = | 4 | x \$18.00 | x \$9.00 | |
| Independent Claims | 5 - 3 = | 2 | x \$ 86.00 | x \$43.00 | |
| Multiple Dependency | | | \$290.00 | \$145.00 | |
| Late Fee Surcharge | | | \$130.00 | \$65.00 | |
| Non-English Language Fee | | | \$130.00 | \$130.00 | |
| Assignment Recording Fee | | | \$40.00 | \$40.00 | |
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| () | Priority is claim | Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 based on the following: | | | | | |
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